



EDITORIAL

WHAT IS ON MY BUCKET LIST NOW

Firstly, to see my good friend, Geraldine Dijoux, in the Loire Valley. And meet her children who I have only ever met over Skype. Where is this and what do I want to see?



South of Paris. Castles and wine farms. Le Mont-Saint-Michel is an island commune in Normandy, France. It is located off the country's northwestern coast and is 100 hectares (247 acres) in size. As of 2009, the island has a population of 44. The island has held strategic fortifications since ancient times and since the 8th century AD has been the seat of the monastery from which it draws its name. The structural composition of the town exemplifies the feudal society that constructed it: on top, God, the abbey and monastery; below, the great halls; then stores and housing; and at the bottom, outside the walls, houses for fishermen and farmers. The commune's position — on an island just 600 metres from land — made it accessible at low tide to the many pilgrims to its abbey, but defensible as an incoming tide stranded, drove off, or drowned would-be assailants.

Next stop is Paris. What do I want to see?

The Louvre. Sacre Coeur. Montmartre. Paris night lights in an open top car. A trip down the Seine. And maybe if I am lucky Monet's Gardens in Giverny. Next stop is to see Sarah Yousuf in Chicago who needs no introduction to the club.

I will be meeting with the Rotary One Club. I will be speaking at Sarah's club, *Rotary Club of Chicago Cosmopolitan*. *Visiting Paul Harris' birthplace. A visit to Evanston Head Office to meet all the folk that I regularly talk to via email and who are so helpful.*

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August Rotary Theme

Membership and
New Club
Development Month

**Wynberg Rotary
meet every
Thursday, 6 for
6.30pm, Palm
House, Wynberg.**

For more

Then back and forth to Iowa to see good friends and Rotarians, Doug and Lou Petersen in Bettendorf, Collen and Carl Stone in Fairfield, John and Zoe Helgerson in Ottumwa. Meeting up with members and trustees of Ponseti International Association about Club Foot. Possibly speaking to more Rotary Clubs in Iowa. But to crown this I will also attend the wedding of Jake Swanson and Morgan Bobb in Denmark, Iowa. Can't wait.

A busy (almost hectic) schedule but I will be seeing a lot of people who mean a lot to me. The slide show will be upon my return. Wynberg Rotary Club enjoy the peace while you can !!!! I will be back.

Submitted by Biffy Danckerts

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<h1 style="margin: 0;">Minutes</h1> <h2 style="margin: 0;">27 July 2017</h2> <p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">Compiled by Lina Howard</p>	
Attendance	17 members present
Visitors	Nil (Business Meeting)
Fellowship/ Members Moments	Ken's Birthday today Stephen van Niekerk's birthday next Wed. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dennis: surprised his neighbor with some children's books that he found. 2. Biffy wrote her last exam today (bravo) 3. Stephanie has a new car!
From the President	N/A
Slots	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Biffy is looking for a club member to organise the duty roster, while she is away, for the Rotary Family Health Day (RFHD) on the 3rd, 4th & 5th October. Candice is doing the duty roster 2. Justin asked members to consider forming teams, for the quiz night, and to help find more prizes. Venue is Forest Market in Tokai. There will be pizzas available to buy RSVP to Justin to inform him who you will be bringing along 3. Dave – Next weekend is the Robertson weekend of fun – 14 people going 4. Biffy report on Don – he has had a few minor strokes – but is still very cheerful, misses the club.
Business Meeting	Subs: Please make arrangements with Mike re payment if you have not done so already Next week: DG Lynette will be with us at Perivale. You may bring own drinks but NB also your own glasses.
President's Sweetie Pie	Sadly no awards this time
Swindle	Jackpot stands at R1 430. Rob drew Biffy's name and Biffy only managed to draw 6 Spades (agh shame) Attendance prize went to Dennis

Duty Roster	August			
	10 NB AT PERIVALE	17	24	31
Sergeant	Overbosch	Todd	Barnard	No Meeting
Wynpress Editorial	Dietrich	Gowdy	Hovstad	
Wynpress Minutes	Cleveland	van Niekerk K	Howard	
Door Duty	Schreiber	Smith	Thomas	
Grace	Bird	Cleveland	Danckwerts	
Loyal Toast	Overbosch	Schonegevel J	Schonegevel R	
International Toast	Gowdy	Overbosch	Schonegevel J	
Speaker Intro and Thanks	N/A	Schreiber	Smith	
Entertainment for the month				

Dates To Diarise

10 August	<i>(NB. Not at Palms)</i> Official visit by the District Governor, Lynette Stassen at Perivale Junior School, Grassy Park .
17 August	Jane Coombe & Shelley O'Connell from Wordworks, which aims to promote literacy in schools in Lotus River and Retreat areas, and the impact the program has had.
24 August	David Gore from the College of Magic will discuss the work done by the college in developing young magicians, and will share some success stories from local communities.
1 September (NB Friday)	A Curry Evening at Monique's home. Details TBA
7 September	Lufefe Nomjana, the Spinach King of Khayelitsha, will tell us about his one-man enterprise which he started in 2011 with a capital outlay of R40 and which today is a thriving business in the Khayelitsha Mall

14 September	Dr Jane Battersby, UCT lecturer and researcher, will speak on Urban Food Security
19 September	RI President Ian Riseley and Juliet Riseley visit to D9350 - Cocktail Event at Kelvin Grove, Newlands (Invitation to all)

Tail Piece

. A very distinguished lady was on a plane arriving from Switzerland.

She found herself seated next to a nice priest whom she asked: "Excuse me Father, could I ask a favour?" "Of course my child. What can I do for you?" "Here is the problem, I bought myself a new sophisticated hair remover gadget for which I paid an enormous sum of money. I have really gone over the declaration limits and I am worried that they will confiscate it at customs. Do you think you could hide it under your cassock?" "Of course I could, my child, but you must realize that I can not lie." "You have such an honest face Father, I am sure they will not ask you any questions", and she gave him the 'hair remover'. The aircraft arrived at its destination.

When the priest presented himself to customs he was asked, "Father, do you have anything to declare?" "From the top of my head to my sash, I have nothing to declare, my son", he replied. Finding this reply strange, the customs officer asked, "And from the sash down, what do you have?" The priest replied, "I have there a marvelous little instrument designed for use by women, but which has never been used." Breaking out in laughter, the customs officer said, "Go ahead Father. Next!"